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\$20,000 FACTORY FIRE IN MONTAGUE SATURDAY

Sash and Door Factory of Ives and Son with Contents Burned to the Ground—Whole Village Threatened and Assistance Requested from Georgetown which, though Promptly Offered Fortunately was not Needed.

A serious loss by fire occurred in Montague Saturday evening, when the large sash and door factory of Messrs. Ives and Son was burned to the ground with all its contents including a large quantity of finished material and lumber, besides the splendid equipment of machinery, all of it modern and costly. Mr. Ives estimates his loss at \$20,000, a dead loss as there was not a dollar of insurance.

As soon as the fire was discovered and the alarm given the citizens rushed to the scene to give every possible assistance but, owing to the inflammable nature of the stock and a breeze blowing the flames spread so rapidly that nothing could be saved.

The large warehouse of Messrs. Poole & Thompson, filled with produce, and only a short distance from the burning factory, was seriously threatened and caught fire several times, but was saved by the strenuous efforts of the citizens, who fought with every means available until the danger was over. Had this building caught there is no doubt that the greater part of the village would have been wiped out. The railway station on the opposite side of the river caught fire by the flying cin-



GOES TO SOUTH AFRICA
The Earl of Athlone, a distinguished soldier who won the D. S. O. in the South African War, and who now goes to that country as Governor-General. He is a brother of Queen Mary.

DECLARES U. S. MAY YET ENTER LEAGUE

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Many Menonites Settle in Canada

(Canadian Press)

WINNIPEG, Nov. 24.—Twenty-five hundred Menonites, men, women and children from Southern Russia, have been placed on Western Canadian land during the past year by the Menonite Colonization Society according to Rev. Dr. Towes president of the organization.

Most of them have been placed in Northern Saskatchewan.

Many of the new immigrants were former large land owners in Russia but lost all in the Bolshevik Revolution. "So keen are these people to adopt Canada as their homeland," said Dr. Towes, "that they have established twenty-five night schools in their district for the sole purpose of learning the English language and adopting Canadian customs and ways."

Condensed Specials

- WANTED A BOOKKEEPER gentleman preferred, Apply K & H, Sharbell, Portage, P. E. Island. 115-11-20-31.
- FOR SALE—LADY'S BOOTS and skates, (almost new,) size four. Apply at Guardian Office. 391-11-20-31.
- JOHN A. McDONALD, LAND Surveyor, Harmony Jct. 424-11-21-31.
- WANTED—EXPERIENCED MAID to go to New York. Apply 66 Rochford St. 21.
- FOUND—SMALL SUM OF MONEY. Owner call 35 Upper Prince St. 11.
- FOXMEN—I am open to buy several pairs of foxes to-day. Must be registered in one of the associations, P. A. Farquharson. 11.
- LOST—FOX TERRIER PUP, black and white, answering to name of Pat. Reward, Dr. E. S. Notting, Ritz Apts. 11-26-21.
- FOR SALE—PAIR OF GENTLEMAN'S Art Ross Tube Skates and Boots. First class condition. Phone Guardian. 11-26-31.
- DON'T FORGET THE AUCTION Sale of farm and stock and everything at Theodore Anderson's St. Peters Harbour Lot. 40. Station on Saturday, Dec. 1st at noon. 198-11-26-41.
- TO LET SEVEN ROOMED house. Modern convenience. Rent moderate. Apply 173 Sydney St. 501-11-26-31.
- WANTED—FOX RANCHER, GOOD reliable married man to take charge of fox ranch and farm. Apply by letter to F. G. care Guardian. 31.

SAYS RELATIONS WITH FRANCE NEVER WORSE

(Canadian Press.)
GLASGOW, Nov. 25.—Lloyd George declared in a campaign speech here today that Great Britain's relations with France were never worse.

"I doubt whether in living memory they have ever been so bad as now," he said.

Owing to what has happened during the last year restoration of normal trade relations throughout the vast population of Central Europe probably has been postponed not for a matter of months but probably for years.

The ex-Premier asserted that the Liberal party's remedy for unemployment was restoration of peace in Europe.

Love-Crazed Youth Attempts Murder

(Canadian Press)

LONDON, Nov. 24.—Grazed with the pangs of unrequited love Clarence Topping visited the home of Geraldine Durston at seven this morning and demanded to see her.

The girl and a girl friend took refuge in her mother's room and the father sent for the police. Topping broke into the room where the girls were and sent two bullets through Miss Durston, penetrating the abdomen. A police officer arrived as the firing commenced and firing at Topping he missed his aim shooting Miss Durston's friend through the chest.

Topping was taken into custody and the two victims are in a hospital in a critical condition.

Edinburgh Strikers Will Return to Work

(Canadian Press.)

EDINBURGH, Nov. 24.—More than sixty shipyard workers who have been idle on strike for seven months will return to work Monday following, a recent ballot which resulted in favor of settlement.

Girl Commits Herself to Horrible Death

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NEWARK, Nov. 24.—Mrs. Mary Moore aged eighty seven who failed two weeks ago in an attempt to hang herself, wrapped her body in gasoline soaked newspapers today and setting it alight, was today to death.

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Hearst is Attacked By U.S. Labor President

(Canadian Press)

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"Hearst," he said, "knows that American labor and American people and the American government want nothing to do with bloody monsters of Moscow, with their communism still taught as a catechism of the red army and the Soviet schools, with their world revolution preached daily by all Soviet leaders."

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(Canadian Press.)
MONCTON, N.B., Nov. 25.—Premier Stewart and Messrs J. O. Hyndman and P. W. Clarkin returned Friday night from Moncton where they attended the inter-provincial conference on the proposed appointment of a freight traffic expert for the Maritime Provinces. On Thursday night, after the banquet to Dr. Doolittle, the Charlottetown delegates and Premier Stewart had an interview with Premier Armstrong, Mr. Alvard, President, and Mr. Allen, Secretary of the N. B. Tourist Association, over the tourist business generally, and the organization of a tourist association for Prince Edward Island was discussed. At this interview it was arranged that a measure of co-operation between the respective tourist associations would be observed. Accompanying Premier Stewart on his return were Mr. Maber, one of

ISLAND FOXMEN TAKE HONORS

(Special to the Guardian.)
TORONTO, Nov. 25.—Among those taking honors in the fox display at the Royal Winter Fair held here are the following Islanders: Black male pups: first, Magic Company; second, George Brown; third, Pure Canadian. Adult pale males: first, Pure Canadian; second, Peter Clarke; third, Magic. Adult pale female: first, Magic; second, Graham Rogers; third, Fred Peters.

Explosion Damages Italian and Spanish Consulates

(Canadian Press.)
PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 25.—Two bomb explosions separated by an hour, damaged the Spanish and Italian consulates here at one and two o'clock this morning.

No one was seriously injured. The bombs were placed in parcels and laid on the steps of the two buildings.

The Spanish consulate was the first point of attack and the explosion at the Italian consulate followed an hour later. No clue of the perpetrators of the outrage or the motive has yet been found.

ELECTION FORECASTS POINT TO CERTAIN DEFEAT FOR GOVERNMENT CANDIDATES

(Canadian Press.)
LONDON, Nov. 25.—On the eve of the nominations which take place Monday all newspapers and scores of political observers are in the field with predictions as to the result. The majority of these, of course, are based largely on personal judgment. But there is one estimate from a statesman high in the councils of his party which, though somewhat fantastic in appearance is yet given considerable credit. One of the shrewdest observers in England and a man who, at the same time has been for over a quarter of a century in politics declares that the Conservatives realize their position today

to be an impossible one and that they had been forced into the election by the die-hard group at a time when the country was unprepared for the digestion of a policy that would mean a revolution in the country's fiscal affairs. Conservatives therefore admit that victory is out of the question and they expect after polling that the King will send for Lloyd George to form a new ministry, while Asquith will become Lord Chancellor.

Labor apparently does not want to succeed to office just now and have made a pact with a certain section of liberalism to support the Liberal party in order to prevent the return of the Conservatives. Labor is thus replacing the old National party in holding the balance of political power thus having strength without responsibility. Some truth is lent to this forecast by the plaintive protests of the Liberal press who complain that Labor is contesting seats where a straight fight between a Liberal and a Conservative would in all probability bring victory to the former and that in spite of his Labor refuses to compromise. Meanwhile, as was forecasted some days ago, the Governments pledge to the farmers is acting as a boomerang. The farmers claim the promise of a pound an acre for every acre of land cultivated will prove an encouragement against the haphazard and slipshod methods of farming and the sowing of low grade wheat resulting in smaller crops. The government however thinks the condition it has imposed of a minimum wage of thirty shillings a week to farm laborers will bring them many voters. With labor not wanting victory and Conservatives divided the return of the Liberals is assured.

FAVORS WHEAT SHIPPING BY PACIFIC

(Canadian Press.)
WINNIPEG, Nov. 25.—The marketing of wheat through Pacific coast ports is strongly favored by Sir Henry Thornton, President of the Canadian National Railways, according to the views he expressed here to-day, during an interview.

There should be a dividing of ways on the prairies, he said, where wheat grown west of this division line should be shipped by Pacific ports to the world's market and wheat grown east to the eastern seaboard. In case of congestion it should always be possible to switch shipments so that there would be no holding up of traffic.

With the development of Orient markets, shipments might have to be made through Prince Rupert, said Sir Henry. Any present lack of adequate elevator facilities was a detail which could be corrected, and which was in process of being corrected.

The problems of shipping wheat by Pacific coast ports, he stated was receiving the most careful attention of the directorate of the Canadian National Railways.

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Bandits Enter and Rob Bank

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MONTREAL, Nov. 24.—Crashing in the front door of the Banque National at St. Liberte early this morning three masked robbers forced the girl manager to open the safe knocked her brother senseless and escaped after binding the manageress, her sister and brother. They got eight thousand dollars in cash.

The girl manager with her brother and sister lived over the bank and were aroused by the crash of the door. They remained helpless until passersby noticed the broken door later in the morning.

Ruhr Industrialists Sign Agreement

(Canadian Press.)
DUESSELDORF, Nov. 24.—Leaders of industry in the Ruhr with whom the French have been negotiating for the resumption of operations in industrial plants, signed an agreement with the French today.



SIR HAMAR GREENWOOD
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Six Students Injured by Train

(Canadian Press.)
SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, Nov. 25.—Six University of Illinois students, en route to the Illinois-Ohio State football game at Columbus tomorrow, were probably fatally injured at 6:25 o'clock to-night when a big four passenger train derailed their automobile at the West Main Street crossing in this city.

All occupants of the automobile are in the City Hospital.

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High tide this afternoon at 12.57 and tomorrow morning at 12.14.
Sun sets this afternoon at 4.20 and rises tomorrow morning at 7.15.
First quarter moon Friday, Nov. 23rd 8.58 a.m.
Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc.

••• A concert and Basket Social in Afton Hall, on Tuesday evening, November 27th. Admission 25 cents. Ladies with baskets free. Proceeds in aid of Telephone Line. Programme starts at seven o'clock sharp. 11-24-21

••• Don't forget the entertainment and basket social in Kingston Hall Wednesday evening Nov. 28. Best country and city talent procurable, with His Worship Mayor Jenkins presiding. Every lady come. 482-11-24-21

••• A special meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Protestant Orphanage will be held in the Ladies club rooms Tuesday, Nov. 27 at 3.30. Important business. 499-11-26-21